

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 29.1-328 of the Code of Virginia, relating to terms of hunting, trapping,*  
3 *and fishing licenses and permits.*

4 [S 371]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That § 29.1-328 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**8 **§ 29.1-328. Term of licenses and permits; multiple-year license.**

9 A. Until the Department has implemented an automated point-of-sale licensing system, hunting and  
10 trapping licenses and permits, including those issued pursuant to ~~§ 29.1-302~~, shall be valid from July 1  
11 of each year or their later date of purchase, to June 30 of the following year, unless sooner revoked.  
12 ~~Upon implementation of such a system, hunting~~ *Hunting* and trapping licenses and permits shall be valid  
13 for one year from their date of purchase *or future effective date, as authorized by the Department*,  
14 except those licenses issued pursuant to § 29.1-305, which shall be valid from July 1 of each year or  
15 their later date of purchase, to June 30 of the following year, unless sooner revoked.

16 B. ~~Until the Department has implemented an automated point-of-sale licensing system, fishing~~  
17 ~~licenses shall run and be valid from January 1 of each year or their later date of purchase to December~~  
18 ~~31 of same year, unless sooner revoked. Upon implementation of such a system, fishing~~ *Fishing* licenses  
19 shall run and be valid for one year from their date of purchase *or future effective date, as authorized by*  
20 *the Department*.

21 C. The Board may authorize the sale of any annual license or permit issued under this title for a  
22 period exceeding the one-year term. Such a multiple-year license or permit shall be valid for the number  
23 of consecutive years stated on the permit or license. The fee for such a multiple-year license or permit  
24 shall not exceed the total amount that would be charged if the particular license or permit was purchased  
25 on an annual basis over the specified number of years.

26 D. The terms of licenses listed in subsections A, B, and C shall not apply to the lifetime hunting and  
27 fishing license established in § 29.1-302.1.

28 E. National Forest Stamps, issued pursuant to § 29.1-408, shall be valid for one year from their date  
29 of purchase, unless sooner revoked.

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